



The Botany Buzz...



Week 9 & 10 Term 4 2020



We wish our school community a very **Happy Christmas.**
From the **Student Representative Council of 2020.**

The school year in review...

2020 has been a year when our school community has been presented with challenges and change. We have had to quickly and efficiently improvise, adapt and support each other.

Earlier this year, we entered a period of Learning from Home where students, parents and teachers all engaged in online learning. The teachers expertly changed their mode of delivery and provided quality curriculum during learning from home and deserve to be acknowledged for their ability to quickly adapt to an online teaching and learning environment.

Once students returned to school it was apparent how they embraced the explicit instruction from their teachers, the importance of their relationships with their peers and the chance to run around outside in the playground.

Thank you to the parent community for your understanding and ongoing support as we have navigated through these unprecedented times.

Farewell Mr Illich

Mr Illich has been a huge part of Botany Public School for the last 15 years. Mr Illich has taught and cared for hundreds of students during his 35-year career and has made a lasting impact on them.

Mr Illich has also had a huge impact on all the teachers he has worked with over the years. His humour, intellect and wise words always ensure that situations are approached in a calm and organised manner.

I know that all of the community will join me in wishing Mr Illich the very best in his retirement and we will miss him dearly. Congratulations and good luck, Mark.

Season Greetings

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of our students and families a very happy and safe Christmas and holiday season.

I know I am leaving the school in good hands as Ms Catherine Byrnes takes on the Principal position in 2021, as I embark on six months leave.

I hope everyone can relax, reflect and look forward to an amazing journey in 2021.

Kate Holmes
Principal



Diary Dates

TERM 4 2020

December 2020

Monday 7 – Wednesday 16

Wellbeing Week

Wednesday 9

Presentation Day for students only



Thursday 10

Pink Stumps Mufti Day

Wednesday 16

Last day of CANTEEN for 2020

Monday 16

11.30am – 2.50pm Year 6 Farewell for students in Year 5 and Year 6 in the School Hall

Wednesday 16

Last day of school and Year 6 clap out!



We wish all of our families a very happy Christmas and holiday season.

January 2021

Tuesday 26

Australia Day Public holiday

Wednesday 27 – Thursday 28

Staff Development days

Friday 29

Students Years 1 – 6 begin school

February 2021

Monday 1

9.00am First Day of Kindergarten

We look forward to meeting you all....

Thursday 11

Swimming Carnival

End of Year Events

Rolling Back of Covid 19 Restrictions

The NSW Premier has announced further easing of COVID-19 restrictions in NSW. These changes are effective from Monday 7 December. The key changes being made based on this week's announcements include:

- The number of people able to participate in an outdoor meeting has increased.
- Schools will be able to conduct staff and community meetings in an outdoor setting with up to 100 people in attendance (up from 50).
- A COVID-19 safety plan must be in place where there are more than 30 people meeting.
- Meetings conducted indoors remain limited to 30 people.

Presentation Day 2020

This Wednesday 9 December 2020 we will be holding our Presentation Day.

Presentation Day will be held in accordance with safety guidelines that necessitated that it will be conducted with a much-varied format this year.

The Major Awards for Stage 3 and announcement of School Captains and Prefects will take place in the library in the presence of the Stage 3 cohort. All other students will view the zoom version of Presentation Day in their classrooms. Unfortunately, we have been unable to invite guests or parents to this event.

A video of the students in Stage 3 receiving these major awards will be videoed and placed on the Google Classroom Site.

In recognition of outstanding achievements, class winners across other stages will be presented their awards in stage-based gatherings. K-6 award winners (first name only) will be published in a 20-page booklet which will be supplied to all children and sent home on Wednesday.

Year 6 Farewell and Year 6 Clap Out

With these changes in mind, our school has revised our Covid safety arrangements for two events:

- **The Year 6 Farewell on Monday 14 December 2020 and**
- **The Year 6 Clap Out on Wednesday 16 December 2020.**

Parents of Year 6 students are invited to our school at 2.00pm on both days where they will enter through the gate on Botany Road.

Please note that each Year 6 student can have ONLY have 2 adults present on these occasions to ensure we maintain numbers under Covid restrictions.

Parents will then proceed to the grass area behind the Johnny Warren Hall where they are asked to ensure that they practice social distancing.

Year 6 students will be able to meet their parents and take photos. More details will be included on a separate note sent to Year 6 students.

Botany Public School

PRESENTATION DAY
WEDNESDAY 9 DECEMBER 2020

Please note: Students only

Week 7 2020 Award Winners

	<i>Achievement Award</i>	<i>Values Award</i>
KD	Daniel B	Eve
KM	Lani	Sofia
KP	Charlotte	Sarah
1D	Archie	Tane
1S	Hunter	Eva
2L	Samir	Isaac T
2M	William	Mia
3/4B	Keaton	Aroha
3/4S	Dean	Aiken
3/4T	Finn	Nathaniel
4/5R	Soni	Eva
5/6G	Millaine	Sam Z
5/6R	Nolan	Mabel

**Value of week 9
Freedom**

Week 8 2020 Award Winners

	<i>Achievement Award</i>	<i>Values Award</i>
KD	Ava	Imogen
KM	Frankie M	Anthony
KP	Bailey	Jonathan
1D	Avery	Valentine
1S	Foti	Aangelyca
2L	Indigo	Lily
2M	Boyd	Aidan L
3/4B	Mia-Rose	Cian
3/4S	Freya	Gerard
3/4T	Jiya	Taya
4/5R	Eva	Patrick
5/6G	Jannah	Taylor
5/6R	Charlie	Jahrone

**Value of week 10
Pride**

School Enrolments and Numbers for 2021

The end of 2020 is fast approaching and we have now begun planning for 2021.

Please inform the school as soon as possible in writing, if your child is not returning to Botany Public School in 2021.

Please inform the school if your child is starting kindergarten 2021, and you have not yet informed the office.

School Resumes for student in Years 1 – 6 on Friday 29 January 2021.

If you are going to return to school after this date, please let the school know in writing so we can save a place for your child.



These school holidays, TeamKids will be delivering a wonderful mix of incursions and in-house days that promise to keep the kids happy, engaged and having FUN.

See attached Summer Holiday Timetable to see the days you would like to attend.

TeamKids provide industry-leading educator to child ratios of 1:10 and all the TeamKids programs have been fully approved under the National Child Care Subsidy (CCS).

TeamKids look forward to welcoming you and your children these Holidays!

For more information you can call TeamKids on 1300 035 000 or visit

<https://teamkids.com.au/venues/botany-public-school-oshc/>



Our Year 6 Farewell is almost here...

We look forward to celebrating our Year 6 students' years in Primary School and wish them every happiness for High School...

When: Monday 14 December 2020

Who: All students in Year 5 and 6 only

Where: School Hall

Dress: Circus theme mufti clothes

We wish you a very happy and safe Christmas and Holiday season...



BOTANY PUBLIC SCHOOL

PINK STUMPS DAY

Annual Teacher vs Students Game



THURSDAY 10TH DECEMBER 2020

Students are encouraged to wear pink in support of the
McGrath Foundation.

Term 4 Wellbeing Week 2020:

Reflecting & Connecting

This wellbeing week, we will be looking back at the past year as it has been a unique and challenging year for everyone.

Students will be reflecting on how we overcame difficult times and appreciating all of the positives that have come from 2020.

They will also consider their achievements and goals they have accomplished at school this year.

Lessons will consist of a revision of Bounce Back concepts including Looking on the Bright Side, Gratitude and Growth Mindset.



Cyber Safe Students

In Term 3, the Wellbeing Week theme was all about students staying safe in the community, with a focus on road and cyber safety. This term, each newsletter will feature some tips and tricks to continue building cyber safety awareness for our students.

Online safety is increasingly important for students to navigate as they get older. Parents and carers are encouraged to regularly have conversations with their children around being safe online. The eSafety commissioner website is a government website where you can access further information, or support your child to navigate the 'kids' section.

Some conversation starters to continue having at home:

Who would you go to if something negative happened online?



Ask a kid

Find out how to get help: esafety.gov.au/kids

Have you ever seen something online that made you feel worried? 😨



Ask an adult

Find out how to get help and report: esafety.gov.au/kids

How do you know when it's time to stop an online activity?



Ask a kid

Start the chat about online safety: esafety.gov.au/kids



BOTANY PUBLIC SCHOOL

Caring Creative Connected

School Stationery Requirements for 2021 Years 1 & 2

Year 1 & 2 Student Requirements to be purchased

To assist your child in being fully prepared to begin work each day they will require the items listed below. Many of these items your child may already have.

- art shirt to protect clothing (Labelled with your child's name.)
- 2 x boxes of tissues
- hand wash pump
- roll of paper towel
- Library bag (Labelled with your child's name.)
- 4 x whiteboard markers
- coloured textas
- 5 x Bostic Glue sticks
- A4 Homework Book - 96 pages NOT SPIRAL BOUND (Labelled and covered with your child's name.)

Class teachers will send home some work books to cover in clear contact in the first few weeks of school. Please have clear good quality contact on hand at home to cover these books when needed.

Year 1 & 2 Stationery Requirements supplied by school

Parents of students in Year 1 and 2 will be invoiced for the following stationery items. The items will be purchased by the school and distributed to class teachers. This ensures that students are able to access resources equitably in all classrooms.

- coloured pencils
- lead pencils
- glue
- sharpener
- scissors
- eraser
- ruler
- whiteboard markers

Thank you for playing such an important role in your child's education.

Kind Regards

Kate Holmes
Principal



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School Stationery Requirements for 2021 Years 3 - 6

Year 3-6 Requirements to be purchased

To assist your child in being fully prepared to begin work each day they will require the items listed below. Many of these items your child may already have.

- 2 x boxes of tissues
- hand wash pump
- roll of paper towel
- Library bag (Labelled with your child's name.)
- 4 x whiteboard markers
- coloured textas
- 5 x Bostic Glue sticks
- A4 Homework Book - 96 pages NOT SPIRAL BOUND (Labelled and covered with your child's name.)
- 4 x HB lead pencils
- eraser (Staedtler is best)
- pair of scissors
- 4 x 2B lead pencils
- coloured pencils
- 2 highlighters
- 4 x large wind-up glue stick (not liquid glue)
- pencil sharpener (that will contain sharpenings and that fits in a pencil case)
- 2 x red biros

No liquid paper or correction tape

All students require a small pencil case

Year 5 and 6 students will also need the following items in addition to the above list

- 2 x black biros, 2 x blue biros
- 1 x pen drive for saving work from the computer
- Artline black felt tip

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Kind Regards

Kate Holmes
Principal

Botany Bites School Lunch Menu - 2021

EXTRA OPTIONS AVAILABLE ON FLEXISCHOOLS

Hot Food

Pasta Bolognaise	Add: Cheese \$0.50 / Olives \$0.70	\$6.50
Plain Pasta (Butter)	Add: Cheese \$0.50 / Olives \$0.70 / Nap Sauce \$2	\$4.40
Vegetarian Tortellini	- with Napolitana Sauce Add: Cheese \$0.50 / Olives \$0.70	\$6.50
Macaroni & Cheese		\$5.40
Butter Chicken & Rice	– Creamy mild Butter Chicken & Rice	\$6.80
6 Chicken Nuggets	Add: Sauce \$0.30	\$4.90
8 Chicken Nuggets	Add: Sauce \$0.30	\$6.60
12 Chicken Nuggets	Add: Sauce \$0.30	\$9.80
Garlic Bread		\$2.70
Corn Cobb (GF)		\$2.70

Burgers

Hamburger	- Meat patty, Lettuce, Tomato, Beetroot, Sauce)	\$6.50
Schnitzel Burger	- Homemade Chicken Schnitzel, Lettuce & Sauce	\$6.50
Grilled Chicken Burger	-fresh grilled chicken, Lettuce & sauce (GF available)	\$6.50
Vegie Burger	- Homemade vegie patty, Lettuce, sauce	\$6.50
Bacon & Egg Roll	– with sauce (GF available)	\$4.90
Bacon Roll	– with Sauce (GF available)	\$4.40
Hot Dog	- with Sauce	\$4.80
Add: Cheese \$0.60 / Tomato \$0.50 / Egg \$0.70 / Pineapple \$0.60 / Bacon \$0.90 / Avocado \$1.00 / Gluten Free Toasted \$1.20		

Gourmet Wraps

Sweet Chilli Chicken Wrap	- Homemade Tenders, Cheese, baby spinach, sweet chilli sauce	\$7.00
Falafel Wrap	- Homemade Falafel, hummus, lettuce, cucumber, tomato, tzatziki	\$7.00
Chicken & Salad Wrap	- Lettuce, Tomato, Cucumber & carrot	\$7.00
Ham & Salad Wrap	- Lettuce, Tomato, Cucumber & carrot	\$7.00
Chicken Schnitzel Wrap	- Homemade Schnitzel, Lettuce, tomato & mayo	\$7.00

Sandwiches (Gluten Free Bread available)

Cheese	\$4.00
Crumbed Chicken, Lettuce, Mayonnaise	\$5.50
Mashed Egg or Sliced Egg	\$4.00
Ham	\$4.50
Ham & Cheese	\$5.00
Hummus	\$4.00
Honey / Jam / Vegemite	\$3.30
Salad	\$4.50
Tuna & Mayonnaise	\$5.00
Poached Chicken	\$5.00
Roast Beef	\$5.00
Roast Turkey	\$5.00
Bossy Squashy	(Ham and Cheese toasted on a roll) \$5.00
Cheesy Squashy	(Cheese toasted on a roll) \$4.50
Roll or Wrap - Add \$0.50 / Gluten Free Toasted \$1.20	
Add: Lettuce \$0.40 / Cheese \$0.60 / Tomato \$0.50 / Cucumber \$0.50 / Carrot \$0.50 / Avocado \$1.00	

Salads

Create Your Own - Lettuce and your choice of salad options	\$3.50
Caesar Salad - Lettuce, crispy Bacon, parmesan, egg, croutons	\$6.50
Greek Salad - Lettuce, Tomato, cucumber, olives & feta (GF)	\$6.50
Tuna Salad - Lettuce, Tuna, olives, cucumber, carrot (GF)	\$6.50
Green Salad (Small - recommended as a side serve) - (GF) Lettuce, tomato, cucumber, carrot	\$3.80

Add: Tomato / Cucumber / Carrot / Croutons - \$0.50

Fresh Sesame Roll / Boiled egg / Feta / Parmesan / Crispy Bacon / Olives - \$1

Avocado/ Ham - \$1.50

Poached chicken / crumbed chicken / tuna / turkey / Roast vegetables - \$2

Sushi

Large Sushi Roll – Choice of the following:	\$4.20
Chicken Teriyaki & Avocado, Chicken Teriyaki & Cucumber, Chicken Teriyaki, Tuna & Avocado, Tuna & Cucumber, Tuna	

Mini Sushi Box – 12 pieced Mini Sushi. Choice of the following:	\$5.60
Cucumber, Avocado, Tuna, Mixed	

Edamame Box	\$3.00
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Snacks

Gingerbread Man	\$2.80
Popcorn (GF)	\$2.70
Banana Bread	\$2.80
Yoghurt & Berries (GF)	\$4.00
Fresh Fruit Salad (GF)	\$4.00
Watermelon Cup (GF)	\$3.70
Jelly (GF)	\$2.70
Baby Button Cookie	\$2.80
Homemade Chocolate Brownie	\$2.70
Hummus & Vege Sticks	\$3.60
Vege Sticks	\$2.90
Custard Cup (GF)	\$2.90
Custard Cup with Milo (GF)	\$3.40
Custard Cup with Mixed Berries (GF)	\$3.40

Drinks

Spring Water	\$2.50
Flavoured Milk (Chocolate or Strawberry)	\$3.00
Juice (Apple, Orange, Apple Blackcurrant)	\$2.70
Up & Go (Chocolate, Strawberry, Banana)	\$3.00

School Travel for 2021



2021 school travel applications are now open

Applications for student travel in 2021 opened from Monday 12 October 2020.

Students who require a School Opal card or travel pass for 2021 can now [apply](#) online. A new application should be submitted if a student is applying for a school travel pass for the first time or requesting an additional pass as a result of a new shared parental responsibility situation (e.g. joint custody).

Students who have changed school/campus, changed address, repeated a year or received an expiry notification from Transport for NSW for their school travel entitlement should [re-apply or update their details](#).

*Applications must be completed by the student's parent or legal guardian if the student is aged under 16 years. Students 16 years and over must complete the application form themselves.

Where there is a change of distance eligibility based on a student's grade, the system will automatically update a student's entitlement if they meet the new criteria. If they do not meet the new [eligibility criteria](#), they will receive an expiry notification via email.

Students who have an entitlement approved under a medical condition which is due to expire will receive a notification advising them to re-apply.

[Term Bus Pass](#) holders will receive a notification to re-apply.

If a student needs to update their information or re-apply, they should go online to <https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updateDetails>

Applications need to be submitted before **31 December 2020** to ensure that current student entitlements are updated and their current entitlement/card remains valid. If their application is submitted after 31 December 2020, the system will automatically cancel an entitlement/card and a new one will need to be issued.

Students in the Opal network applying for a SSTS or Term Bus Pass entitlement for the first time will receive their card at their nominated postal address. Cards will be mailed out from January 2021.

Students residing in Rural and Regional (R&R) areas should receive their travel pass at the commencement of the new school year from their nominated operator, this may be distributed via the school or sent direct to their address. **Note:** some R&R operators do not issue travel passes. Students/Parents should confirm with their nominated operator if they do not receive a pass.

New Concession Entitlement Cards

Transport for NSW will be replacing the below cards with Transport Concession Entitlement Cards (TCEC) from October 2020:

- Senior Secondary Student Concession Card (16 years and over) – also used by Mature Secondary Students (18 years and over), Distance Education Students and Home School Students
- Proof of Age card (when a student under 16 years of age looks older)
- Boarder Rail Pass.

All previous cards will be valid until they expire. Students who require a Transport Concession Entitlement Card should speak with their school administration staff.

Enquiries regarding school student travel can be submitted to Transport for NSW at:

<https://transportnsw.info/contact-us/feedback/passes-concessions-feedback>



IN-HOUSE



INCURSION



EXCURSION



BEST PROGRAM EVER

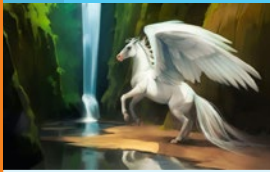
14 DEC - 18 DEC

17 THURSDAY

MYTHS & LEGENDS AND GEMSTONE DIG

18 FRIDAY

THE GREAT OUTDOORS & FURRY FRIENDS



Today is a day full of Myths & Legends! Will you pretend to be a mermaid, dragon, unicorn, goblin, or elf? We'll play Medusa Tag, Escape the Minotaur & create some eye-catching Cyclops Craft.



It's time to go wild at TeamKids as we explore The Great Outdoors! Today is all about the wonder of nature. We'll play All Over, build a Big Fort & make our own colourful Garden Gnomes to take home.



Base Fee \$60.00

Exp Fee** \$7.00

Total Fee \$67.00

After Max CCS* \$10.05



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Exp Fee** \$7.00

Total Fee \$67.00

After Max CCS* \$10.05

21 DEC - 25 DEC

21 MONDAY

22 TUESDAY

23 WEDNESDAY

24 THURSDAY

25 FRIDAY



CLOSED

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

LUAU PARTY AND PERFECT PINEAPPLE

BEAT THE HEAT! AND INVISIBLE INK GAMES

FESTIVE WONDERLAND AND FESTIVE POM POM

Aloha & welcome! TeamKids is throwing a Luau Party & we can't wait for you to join us. We'll make a splash while we play the Lei Toss game, Tourist Race & make rad Sea Turtle Craft to take home.

As the weather warms up outside, TeamKids is here to help you Beat the Heat! We'll have a splashing time with Water Balloon Spoon Races & Paper Sea Creature Monsters. *Towel & change of clothes required.

'Tis the season for a Festive Wonderland at TeamKids! Today, we'll get to celebrate the silly season with all our friends as we play Elf Express, Cheerful Charades & weave fuzzy Yarn Giving Trees.



Base Fee \$60.00
Exp Fee** \$7.00
Daily Total \$67.00



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Daily Total \$67.00



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Exp Fee** \$7.00
Daily Total \$67.00

After Max CCS* \$10.05

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4 JAN - 8 JAN

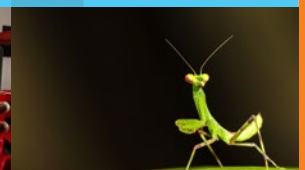
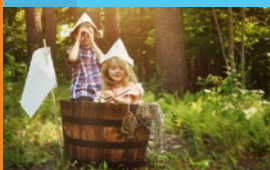
4 MONDAY

5 TUESDAY

6 WEDNESDAY

7 THURSDAY

8 FRIDAY



SHIPWRECKED AND TREBUCHET 3D PUZZLE

TIMEZONE AND RIVER JUMP GAME

TASTE OF CIRCUS AND PAPER CHAIN CHALLENGE

MUSEUM OF FIRE AND FLOATING BUTTERFLIES

MINI BEASTS AND CRAFT STICK HARMONICA

Ahoy, me hearties! We've found ourselves Shipwrecked at TeamKids. You'll need your sea legs for this pirate adventure. We'll have a blast playing Treasure Chest, Sharks & Minnows & creating Colourful Parrot Pals.

The name of the game is fun at TeamKids! Today, we'll get to check out countless classic arcade games at Timezone. Will you challenge your friends to air hockey or race them to the finish line?

Roll up, roll up! Today, TeamKids will get a Taste of Circus. This fast-moving show & workshop will be full of non-stop action. We'll practice tricky circus skills using hula hoops, spinning plates, juggling balls & more.

Stop, drop & roll into TeamKids! Today, we're off to visit the Museum of Fire. We'll explore the interactive environment, participate in firefighting adventures & learn new life skills as we don the uniform.

We'll come face-to-face with some of the creepy-crawly creatures that hide in the garden with Mini Beasts. But, don't worry! These bugs wouldn't even hurt a fly. There'll be stick insects, centipedes & beetles galore.



Base Fee \$60.00
Exp Fee** \$7.00
Daily Total \$67.00



Base Fee \$60.00
Exp Fee** \$30.00
Daily Total \$90.00



Base Fee \$60.00
Exp Fee** \$14.00
Daily Total \$74.00



Base Fee \$60.00
Exp Fee** \$25.00
Daily Total \$85.00



Base Fee \$60.00
Exp Fee** \$14.00
Daily Total \$74.00

After Max CCS* \$10.05

After Max CCS* \$13.50

After Max CCS* \$11.10

After Max CCS* \$12.75

After Max CCS* \$11.10



IN-HOUSE



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BEST PROGRAM EVER

11 JAN - 15 JAN

11 MONDAY	12 TUESDAY	13 WEDNESDAY	14 THURSDAY	15 FRIDAY
FLOCK OF SEAGULLS AND SPRINGY BIRDS	BOWLING AND CHAIN REACTION STEM CHALLENGE	TUTTI FRUITTI CUPCAKE DESIGNS AND JET BALL GAME	WET & WILD AT THE ROYAL BOTANIC GARDEN	SENSATIONAL SUMMER AND HOUSE OF CARDS
We're going to have a hoot at TeamKids with Flock of Seagulls! Today is all about our feathered friends that grace the skies. We'll play Hawks & Doves, Seed Dash & create Pet Birds to take home with us.	There's no time to spare! TeamKids is hosting our very own bowling tournament & we need your help to knock down as many pins as possible! Are you & your friends up for the challenge? *Socks required.	Today, everyone at TeamKids is a Junior Masterchef! We're popping on our chef's hats & we're ready to create some Tutti Fruitti Cupcake Designs. *Allergy alert. *GF & Vegan options available. Please select when booking.	We're saying hello to Summer at TeamKids! Who's ready to get Wet & Wild at The Royal Botanic Garden with us? We're in for a day of water-play games, netting by the pond, & leaf boat races. *Towel & change of clothes required.	What's your favourite thing about Summer? At TeamKids, we love backyard cricket, tossing a frisbee & dipping our toes into the sand. You'll get to experience all that & more today in Sensational Summer!
Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$7.00 Daily Total \$67.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$32.00 Daily Total \$92.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$17.00 Daily Total \$77.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$33.00 Daily Total \$93.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$14.00 Daily Total \$74.00
After Max CCS* \$10.05	After Max CCS* \$13.80	After Max CCS* \$11.55	After Max CCS* \$13.95	After Max CCS* \$11.10

18 JAN - 22 JAN

18 MONDAY	19 TUESDAY	20 WEDNESDAY	21 THURSDAY	22 FRIDAY
LITTLE SUCCULENTS AND BLOB GAMES	MOVIE - THE CROODS 2 & PLUSH BUNNY	NERF GAMES AND WISH TWISTS	FEATHERDALE WILDLIFE PARK AND FISHBOWL GAME	POLAR BEAR PLUNGE AND CURIOUS CRAFT ERASERS
Today, we're getting our hands dirty with Little Succulents! We'll learn all about the different succulent types & plant our own leaf babies to take home with us. You won't be-leaf your eyes when they start to grow.	Today is going to be a showstopper because TeamKids is off to the movies to see The Croods 2! What will our favourite prehistoric family get up to this time? *Popcorn provided. *Allergy alert.	Are you up for a fun & safe challenge? It's game on at TeamKids with Nerf! We'll have so many blasters available, we won't know where to start. So, come along with your friends for a day of endless excitement.	Have you heard? Today, TeamKids is exploring the Featherdale Wildlife Park. It has the world's largest collection of native Australian wildlife with over 2,000 animals. We're buzzing with excitement!	What do polar bears eat for lunch? Ice berg-ers! You're in for a cool day as we take on the Polar Bear Plunge! We'll play Water Games & design Pop Up Polar Bears. *Towel & change of clothes required.
Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$14.00 Daily Total \$74.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$30.00 Daily Total \$90.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$16.00 Daily Total \$76.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$24.00 Daily Total \$84.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$7.00 Daily Total \$67.00
After Max CCS* \$11.10	After Max CCS* \$13.50	After Max CCS* \$11.40	After Max CCS* \$12.60	After Max CCS* \$10.05

*Child Care Subsidies may apply. \$5 Admin Fee per family. \$5 Late Fees apply within 7 days per child. Payment plans available.

**Experience/Activity Fee. Programs may be subject to change. Third Party Payment Fees apply. See Terms and Conditions for cancellation policy.



Find a venue
teamkids.com.au/venues

Choose your ADVENTURE!
 Book Now

25 MONDAY



PARTY PLANET AND MODEL ROCKETS

We want you to strut your stuff at the TeamKids Party Planet! Today, we're celebrating traditions from all around the globe. We'll do a Lion Dance, make Desert Festival Camels & float away with Hot Air Balloon Craft.

 Base Fee	\$60.00
 Exp Fee**	\$7.00
Daily Total	\$67.00

After Max CCS* \$10.05

26 TUESDAY

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

27 WEDNESDAY



SPORTS MANIA! AND RETURN BALLS

Today, we're all sporting superstars in Sports Mania! So, wear your favourite team colours & join in on the action. We'll play Pinball Soccer, 4-Way Capture the Flag & create Bouncing Basketballs.

 Base Fee	\$60.00
 Exp Fee**	\$7.00
Daily Total	\$67.00

After Max CCS* \$10.05

28 THURSDAY



IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY! AND PICK UP STICKS

Hooray, we're celebrating at TeamKids because It's Your Birthday! It'll be a day you won't soon forget with party games, music & friends. We'll play Balloon Bursts, Mirror Charades & make bright Birthday Cards.

 Base Fee	\$60.00
 Exp Fee**	\$7.00
Daily Total	\$67.00

After Max CCS* \$10.05

29 FRIDAY

CLOSED

Getting Ready to Attend

ARRIVAL TIME



Please ensure children are signed in no later than 9am.



Booking and Cancellations

Bookings are subject to availability and may be placed/ amended until 11:59 pm the night prior to attendance via your TeamKids online account. An additional fee of \$5 per child applies to bookings made inside 7 days of attending. Cancellations must be received before 8am the day prior to attendance. If inside this time frame, full fee will be charged.



Pack a Healthy Lunch

A delicious, nutritious, morning and afternoon tea are provided in all programs. Children are required to bring a packed lunch and refillable water bottle.

When packing your child's lunch, please consider that some children in attendance have been diagnosed with food allergies or the risk of anaphylaxis.



Medical Information? Have a Plan

If your child has Asthma, Anaphylaxis, an Allergy or any other medical condition, upload plans to your TeamKids account and bring along a completed Risk Minimisation Form, found on our website. Please provide required medications to your venue coordinator on the first day of attendance - in their original packaging, clearly labelled with your child's name and a use-by date.

**Please note children are unable to attend our venues without their medication and action plans.



Receiving child care Subsidy

After your TeamKids booking is placed, you must log into your MyGov account to check you have a confirmed enrolment.



Extended Hours of operation

During the school holidays, our customer service team are available from 7:00 am till 6:30 pm.



What to wear

At TeamKids we love to get outside, so please remember to pack a hat - clearly labelled and wear suitable footwear for running around. Where possible avoid wearing singlets, thongs and open-toed shoes.

Ideally, please apply sunscreen before coming to the program, and the children will reapply later in the day. If your child is susceptible or reacts to different sunscreens, please bring your own sunscreen and bring this to the attention of our educators. The Cancer Council recommends using a high protection sunscreen (Minimum SPF 30) with a high UVA rating (4-star minimum).



Double check TeamKids Room Location

It is very important to double check our website prior to attending, in case of a room change. We are sometimes required to temporarily change rooms due to school building maintenance over the school holidays. Last minute changes will be announced via SMS to attending families.



Electronic Sign-In/out

All TeamKids venues require electronic sign in/out. Any person signing your child in or out from TeamKids care MUST be listed on your TeamKids account and know your TeamKids account pin number, if this has been activated. These details can be updated via your TeamKids account at any time.



Additional Needs

For new families, our TeamKids Inclusion Manager will discuss attendance options for children with additional needs before they attend. Please contact Customer Service on 1300 035 000.

Please note: We require a minimum of four weeks' notice for funding applications for children requiring an extra staff member to help support their time with us. Places cannot be guaranteed if less notice is given.

Please call with any questions: 1300 035 000



WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING

The last two weeks have been creative and so much fun! The children have participated in amazing and productive experiences, including internationally recognised days and trying new foods. To bring awareness to children's mental health, we painted a "Sprinkle Kindness" poster with children for International Fairy Bread day. We even made some fairy bread sushi for our Japanese Sushi restaurant!

Our Sausage Sizzle was a big success, as all the children loved grilled sausages & sauce for afternoon tea. Our 4 week AFL program is off to a fun and effective start with children enjoying the smaller divisions of groups.

NEXT WEEK..... We will be decorating the Christmas tree that we have started building, using recycled materials that reflect Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander art as well as the multiple cultures that are prevalent at TeamKids and in Australia.

VACATION CARE: EXCURSIONS are back! Please head to our website to book children in for all our fun-filled excursions and incursions for summer holidays!

IMPORTANT DATES



 **TUES 15th DECEMBER**

Christmas Party Day

 **THURS 17th DECEMBER**

1st day of VAC CARE

 **FRI 25th DECEMBER**

Christmas Day

TEAMKIDS CLUBS

ASC WEEK: **9-10**



MONDAY

WEEK9: DANCE/ART ATTACK/COOKING CLUB
WEEK10: DANCE/ART ATTACK/COOKING CLUB

TUESDAY

WEEK9: EPIC GAMES/DANCE/ART ATTACK
WEEK10: CHRISTMAS PARTY!

WEDNESDAY

WEEK9: ART ATTACK/EPIC GAMES
WEEK10: ART ATTACK/EPIC GAMES

THURSDAY

WEEK9: AFL / ART ATTACK
WEEK10: VAC CARE MYTHS & LEGENDS

FRIDAY

WEEK9: ART ATTACK / EPIC GAMES
WEEK10: VAC CARE GREAT OUTDOORS



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